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E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: PFOR, CG

SUBJECT: DEPARTMENT BRIEFING - APRIL 1, 1977

1. FOLLOWING Q'S AND A'S ARE EXCERPTED FROM THE  
APRIL 1 DEPARTMENT PRESS BRIEFING.

2. Q: ANY REPORT FROM ZAIRE ON THE FIGHTING THERE?

A: NO MILITARY UP-DATE FOR YOU.

3. Q: ANY POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS IN THAT AREA?

A: NO. I'VE GOT NOTHING NEW ON THE NIGERIAN DIPLOMATIC  
EFFORTS. THE ADDITIONAL REQUEST FROM THE GOVERNMENT  
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REMAINS UNDER STUDY.

4. Q: DID YOU CHECK AND PUT OUT AN ANSWER TO THE QUESTION  
AS TO WHETHER WE HAVE BROUGHT THIS WHOLE QUESTION UP  
WITH THE CUBANS OR ANY OTHER GOVERNMENT IN A DIFFERENT  
CONTEXT?

A: I DID CHECK, AND WE HAVEN'T.  
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